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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Waldman, S.

Serial No.: Group Art Unit:

Filed: **Herewith** Examiner:

For: **METHODS OF AND KITS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR DIAGNOSING
COLORECTAL TUMORS AND METASTASIS THEREOF**

Assistant Commissioner for
Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This preliminary amendment is being filed together with a Rule 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) continuation application of Serial Number 08/789,270 which has been allowed and for which the issue fee has been paid. Please amend the application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, between the title and the section heading entitled "Field of the Invention", please insert the following:

